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119	320	219	160	Notice of Appeal	
120	320	220	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	280	221	140	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
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143	460	243	230	Design issue fee	
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Anne Provost, Kevin Pebley, Raffaella Carlomusto,  
and Sergio Castaneda  
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Dear Ms. Woodard:

Enclosed herewith is a copy of the Patent Application that was filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office on December 27, 2001 in the above-referenced matter.

Ms. Nancy Woodard  
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Kind regards.

Sincerely,

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